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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 9, 2002, in connection with the above-identified patent application. The period for responding is extended by the attached petition. Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments without prejudice.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 17, 23 and 24 as follows. Attached is a marked up copy showing changes to the claims.

**Claim 17 (Twice Amended).** A method to form on surfaces of objects films having hydro and oil repellant properties, said method comprising applying to said surfaces aqueous dispersions of fluorinated oligourethanes having a number average molecular weight lower than or equal to 9,000, determined by vapour pressure osmometry, said

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